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In response to the official Action of October 23, 2008, for which a responsive is due January 23, 2009, the examiner is respectfully requested to consider the following amendment and remarks.

Any additional fees associated with this response may be charged to Merck Deposit Account No. 13-2755.